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METHOD OF FORMING FINE PATTERNS

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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1. [X] Fee Transmittal Form (Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing) 7. [] CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or computer program (Appendix)

8. [] Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission

- (if applicable, all necessary) [Total Pages: 21]
- 2. [] Small Entity Status is hereby asserted.

a. [] Computer Readable Form

3. [X] Specification (preferred arrangement set forth below)

Descriptive title of the Invention

b. Specification Sequence Listing on:

Cross References to Related Applications

i. [] CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or

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- ii. Il Paper
- Reference to Sequence Listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix.
- c. [] The paper and computer readable copies are identical

- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- **Detailed Description**
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))

37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) 10. []

[] Power of Attorney 11. II.

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

English Translation Document (if applicable) Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449

4. [] Drawing(s) (35 USC 113)

Preliminary Amendment

5. [X] Oath or Declaration

14. [X] Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically

a.1. [] Newly executed (original or copy)

[] Copies of IDS Citations

a.2. [X] Unexecuted

- 15. [X] Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
- [] Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
- (if foreign priority is claimed) 16. [] Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.

i. [] DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)

- 17. [] Other
- Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
- 6. [] Application Data Sheet (see 37 CFR 1.76)
- 18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below, and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet:
 - Il Continuation
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Prior Application Information: Examiner

Group Art Unit

For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein. The incorporation <u>can only</u> be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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Respectfully submitted,

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